GERMANY PHILATELIC SOCIETY

Dedicated to the documentation, preservation, advancement and promotion of the stamps and postal history of Germany and its related areas through education, study, research and services.

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'GPS Special Prize'

The Germany Philatelic Society is pleased to announce the establishment of a prize to be given to an exhibit, as determined by the jury, at APS-certified philatelic exhibitions or shows. The prize will consist of one copy of a gold-award winning GPS-published book and a one-year membership with subscription to the GPS's gold-award monthly publication. The value of the prize is the equivalent of US$ 75-100.00 with the book being in new condition and printer-fresh.

Except for the following parameters, the jury has basically a free-hand in determining which exhibit receives the prize. The exhibit does not have to involve "Germany & Area" material. It is, however, suggested that the jury allocate the prize to an exhibit to demonstrate its merit and to motivate the exhibitor to continue to exhibit in his or her area of interest, to recognize his or her research, creativity or even first-time exhibiting achievement.

Award limitations and parameters:

- *Not to be given to the Grand or Reserve Grand Award Winning Exhibits;*
- *No topic restrictions;*
- *No frame restrictions, either multi- or single-frame;*
- *May be awarded to a youth exhibit as long as the exhibit achieves the youth Silver level;*
- *May be awarded to any exhibit otherwise deemed meritorious by the jury.*

After the prize has been given at a particular show, the show is required to advise the **Society's Publicity Office** of the exhibit title, frame total, full name and mailing address of the exhibitor.

In the event of questions or communications, please **only** contact the Society's office indicated below.

Philatelic regards,

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